U .S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE CRIMINAL DIVISION COUNTERTERRORISM SECTION EXPERIENCED ATTORNEY, GS-14/15

About the Office:

The Counterterrorism Section (CTS) is responsible for the design, implementation, and support of law enforcement efforts, legislative initiatives, policies and strategies relating to combating international and domestic terrorism. The Section seeks to assist in preventing and disrupting acts of terrorism which may occur anywhere in the world which impact on significant United States interests and persons through investigation and prosecution.

Responsibilities and Opportunity Offered:

The Office is seeking an experienced attorney to work as part of the Terrorist Financing Unit. The Terrorist Financing Unit is responsible for the application of traditional white-collar and financial investigative techniques to the task of identifying and disrupting terrorist plots before they occur. Working with agents from the FBI's Terrorist Financing Operations Section (TFOS) and the CTS Regional Antiterrorism Coordinators. The Terrorist Financing Unit oversees and promotes the enforcement of the main terrorist financing statutes, 18 U.S.C. § 2339A and § 2339B, develops policies, plans operations and initiatives, reviews intelligence and, in appropriate cases, handles the resulting criminal litigation. In addition to its case-related work, the unit is engaged in proactive data-mining projects designed to identify terrorist trends and patterns, significant outreach with the private sector, foreign and domestic training, public speaking, and topical writing in this new and growing enforcement area.

Qualifications:

Required qualifications: Applicants must possess a J.D. degree, be duly licensed and authorized to practice as an attorney under the laws of a State, territory, or the District of Columbia. Applicants must have at least four or five years of post J.D. experience to be qualified at the GS-14 or 15 level.

Preferred qualifications: Applicants should possess excellent analytical and writing skills and significant criminal trial experience.

<u>Travel</u>: Travel will be required infrequently.

Salary Information: GS-14: \$85,210 - \$110,775 per annum GS-15: \$100,231 - \$130,305 per annum

<u>Location</u>: Washington, D.C.

Relocation Expenses:
Submission Process
and Deadline Date:

Relocation expenses are not authorized.

To apply for this position, please submit a resume and/or OF-612 (Optional Application for Federal Employment), a current SF -171 (Application for Federal Employment), a cover letter (highlighting relevant experience), a writing sample (no longer than 10 pages) and a current performance appraisal, if applicable to:

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No telephone calls please. Applications must be received by December 21, 2004.

.Internet Sites:

This and selected other legal position announcements can be found on the Internet at: http://10.173.2.12/oarm/attvacancies.html.

For more information about the Criminal Division, please visit the Criminal Division Web page at : http://www.usdoj.gov/criminal/criminal-home.html

Department Policies:

The U.S. Department of Justice is an Equal Opportunity/Reasonable Accommodation Employer. It is the policy of the Department to achieve a drug-free workplace, and the person selected will be required to pass a drug test to screen for illegal drug use. Employment is also contingent upon the satisfactory completion of a background investigation adjudicated by the Department of Justice.

The Department of Justice welcomes and encourages applications from persons with physical and mental disabilities and will reasonably accommodate the needs of those persons. The Department is firmly committed to satisfying its affirmative obligations under the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, to ensure that persons with disabilities have every opportunity to be hired and advanced.